

REMARKS

In response to an amendment filed on June 25, 2004 with regard to the instant application, telephone interviews were conducted between the Applicants' attorney and the Examiner on November 4th and 5th of 2004, resulting in allowable claims 16-33 via Examiner's amendment. However, the Applicants did not receive notification of such by mail. Specifically, the Applicants did not receive an Interview Summary Record (PTOL-413) of the telephone interview. Further, the Applicants received neither a Notice of Allowability nor a Notice of Allowance regarding the instant application.

A search by the Applicants' representative was performed on the U.S. Patent Office website (PAIR), which revealed that, collectively, an Interview Summary, Notice of Allowability, and Notice of Allowance were mailed to the Applicants' representatives on November 12, 2004 and returned to the U.S. Patent Office as 'undelivered.' Accordingly, the Applicants respectfully request reissue of the Notice of Allowance for mailing to the below address.

No additional fees are believed to be required for this Request. However, if any fees are due with respect to this Request, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 09-0463 maintained by Applicants' Assignce.

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